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Following are the types of cranes produced by VEB Kranbau Eberswalde:

1. Quay cranes: with a carrying capacity of 2,000 kg. and a radius of 21 meters, constructed of electrically welded steel, and used mainly for the loading of piece goods. Electrical equipment for the crane is supplied by VEB Geraetewerk Leipzig, Boehlitz-Ehrenberg. The crane can be transported in sections and re-assembled at the required place. These cranes are intended for export to USSR and Poland. Three are to be delivered to Stettin and four to Leningrad and Riga.

2. Special cranes mounted on trucks, supplied to the Chief Directorate of the KVP for loading and unloading large caliber ammunition.

3. Tower tipping and slewing cranes. Height - 60 meters. Carrying capacity - 3,000 kg. All movements of the crane are fully mechanized and are electrically controlled from a switchboard. It is used for unloading ships. Most of these cranes are exported to the USSR and the Satellites. Those exported to the USSR and Poland are erected on the spot by engineers from the plant.

4. Shipyard slewing cranes. Height - 40 meters. Carrying capacity - 10,000 kg.

5. The plant also has an order for bridge sections for Stettin.

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